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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
HIDEYA KUMONI	)	Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
Application No.: Not Yet Assigned	)	Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
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CRYSTALLINE THIN FILM	)	May 17, 2005

Commissioner for Patents  
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

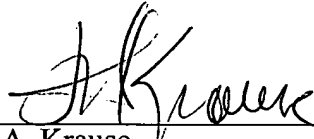
In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the non-U.S. documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The listed documents were cited in a PCT International Search Report mailed June 3, 2004 for International Application No. PCT/JP03/15717, which is the parent of the present application from which this application claims priority. A copy of each of this search report is also enclosed.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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